TRANSPORTING A MILLION MEN, OH, WOMAN! PART OF RAILWAYS' BIG TASK

THE almost daily passage through El Paso of drafted men on trains from Arizona and New Mexico to can-tenments in the south or middle west brings close to home the fact that the railroads of the country are now

The movement of the draft began September 5 when 15,000 men were sent to the cantonments. In the accord movement, September 19 to 23, 275,000 men will be sent to cantonments. This is 40 percent of the 687,000 total. Another 40 percent will go between October 3 and 7, and the remainder, about 103,000, will be entraised, beginning October 19.

The task is made greater for the railroads by reason of the fact, which they now have reason to regret, that in recent years the railroads have not bour'tt as many locomolives and care as they should have done. Because of what they considered unreasonable regulation, which kept them from increasing freight rates, they economized at the expense of trackage and rolling stock.

Now, in addition to moving the regulars, national guard and their equipment and the drafted men of the national army, and in addition to keeping the normal passenger and freight traffic moving also, the railroads are called upon to move the crops of the country. The wheat crop is already going from producing points into elevators. Other grains are also moving. The lumber shipments are enormous. Cotton is beginning to be shipped. The transportation of finel cannot be interrupted for a day and the railroads are now transporting from the mines about 6,000,000 tons of coal a month more than they ever carried before.

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theme redirected to Berlin. The Swedish foreign ministry itself, then, became an active participant in the breach of There is a further handicap in that many railroad employes in the operating departments, conductors, engineers, brakemen, awitchmen and freight handlers have either volunteered for service with the engineer regiments or have been drafted into the army. This necessitates rapid readjustments by promoting other employes and taking in new men at the bottom of the organization.

Engaged in this great task of transportation, the railroads have 1,750,000 men in the operating department, all of them concentrating on the fask of moving the troops, equipment, civilian passengers and freight of all kinds on time. This schievement will be one of the larger events of the war, worthy of the best and greatest organization of railroads in the world.

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The Swedish government, by actively assisting the section of count Luxburg that Argentines ships and their crews be destroyed "without leaving a trace," as murderously cold blooded a proposal as ever was made.

If Sweden has no guarantee to offer as to the future, it will be very well for the United States not to listen to any pleas from the Swedish mission for lifting the embargo on supplies to that country. If so eager to aid Germany in war, let Sw

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The very least you can do is to put a one cent stamp on your magazine and hand it to a mail carrier to be forwarded to an army camp at home or abroad.

Sweden's "Neutrality"

engaged in their greatest work, the movement of 1,000,000 traops in a month's time without disturbing the regular course of traffic.

About one-third of these troops are national guardsmen, carrying their equipment with them. The rest are the drafted men, together with such units of the regular army as are under orders to proceed from their present stations to various destinations. The national guard movement means, in addition to the usual passenger train equipment, the use of about 18,000 freight cars.

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Taking a phrase from the message of the German charge in Argentina, it is hereby suggested that the German gov-

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Perhaps the real conspirator of the draft resisters is to obtain free room and board.





Th' feller that's pop'lar on account o' his pull never seems t' tumble. At th' Pash family reunion yisterday ther' wus 11 children, 19 gran' children, 14 great gran, children, seven great great gran' children an' 15 Fords.

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Short Snatches From Everywhere

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The more Dec Michaels explains bis

to impersonate an officer, but thus far crown prince Willie has escaped.
--Washington Post.

There is no justice in a peace which proposes that the villian shall come sail of the war with as much applause as the hero.—Columbus Disputch.

At latest accounts the kaiser had not yet complimented the crown prince on his stratesy in giving un verdun posts he could no longer hold. New York World.

Our Enemies Within

Paper Calls America Reactionary As Prussia

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THE most unfortunate of men is he who hunts for something wrong, who arrains his ear, again, again, to hear the false note in a song. The who marks with gloomy eye the bridal couple as they pass, and says, "Their joy will seen pass by, and they'll grow old; all flesh is grass." The who stops the flow of mirth by preaching trouble and despair, who says that everything on earth is but a pitfall and a snare. He sees the ring around the moon, when other men the moon behold, and says a storm will come full soon, with hail and sleet and bitter cold. He sees the sundogs standing guard, when other men behold the sun, and says we'll all be froren hard before the current week is given. Off FROM THEIR 'MAKINS' Albuquarque, N. M. Sept. It,—Startled by the alleged prevalence of maribuana smoking in the cump of allege; he's only happy when he fretz, he's only joyous when he weeps. It would be no concern of mins, if he would nurse his grouch alone; but publicly he weeps his brine, and heaves his deep, heart rending grown. And in these crucial times we need no added weight to loads of care, no sighs that make our bosoums bleed, no threats or omens of despair.

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